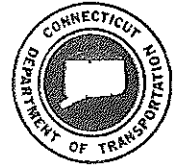




STATE OF CONNECTICUT

DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION



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April 21, 2014

To: Interested Construction and Engineering Firms

Subject: Request for Statement of Qualifications
Rehabilitation of Bridge Nos. 03761, 03762, 03764, & 03765
Route 8, City of Bridgeport
State Project No. 15-363, Bridgeport
Federal-Aid Project No. 0008(119)
CSO Solicitation No. 2226

The Connecticut Department of Transportation (Department) is seeking to engage Construction Contractors and Design Engineers to execute a Design-Build contract for the final design and construction of the subject Project.

The Project includes, but is not limited to:

- Design and Construction of Four (4) Superstructure Replacements (6 Spans Total)
- Filling of Five (5) Spans on Two (2) of the Bridges (10 Spans Total)
- Construction of Retaining Walls
- Related Substructure Repairs and Rehabilitation
- Roadway Paving
- Roadway Widening and Traffic Control Signal Revisions/Replacements
- Drainage
- Maintenance and Protection of Traffic
- Utility Coordination
- Coordination with Stakeholders in Conjunction with the Department
- Reconstruction of the Intersection of Lindley Street and North Avenue
- Widening of the Route 8/25 Northbound Exit Ramp and Intersection Improvements at Lindley Street, Including the Replacement of the Existing Traffic Control Signal

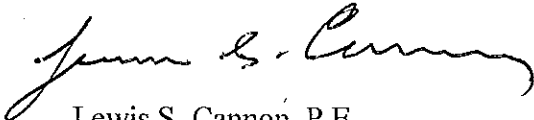
All interested parties must comply with the document entitled "Design-Build Procurement Request for Statements of Qualifications" (RFQ) for State Project No. 15-363, "Rehabilitation of Bridge Nos. 03761, 03762, 03764, & 03765, Route 8, City of Bridgeport." The RFQ provides details and requirements of the first stage of the selection process. This document can be found at the following link for the Department of Administrative Services, State Contracting Portal for Department of Transportation projects: [ConnDOT Bids and RFPs \(State Contracting Portal-Transportation, Department of\)](#).

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This solicitation is open to all Contractors prequalified in Work Classifications No. 7 ("Road Construction and Rehabilitation: Limited Access Highways, Freeways and Major Reconstruction of Non-Freeway State Routes") and No. 10 ("Major Bridges"). Contractors that are not prequalified may apply for prequalification, as outlined in the enclosed RFQ document. This solicitation is also open to Design Engineering firms. Qualifications of the Design firms shall be demonstrated through the information submitted as part of this solicitation. Circumstances may require rescheduling or cancellation of projects and, should any such action be necessary, the Department would be under no obligation to provide supplementary work for the team selected for this project.

All inquiries regarding the RFQ must be directed to the Department contact person, identified in said document.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Lewis S. Cannon", with a stylized, flowing script.

Lewis S. Cannon, P.E.
Construction Administrator
Bureau of Engineering and Construction